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We have waited before commenting on the tragic fate of CHAN KING-WAH, the late Chief of Police at Canton, in the hope that the official statements on the subject would afford some convincing reasons for what in the absence of strong justification cannot but be regarded as a cold-blooded murder and a disgrace to the civilisation to which pretence is made in the provisional Constitution under which the so-called Republic of China is, by a fiction, supposed to be governed. One of the provisions of that Constitution is that "no citizen shall be arrested, imprisoned, tried or punished except in accordance with law," but although it has been officially declared that all trouble at Canton is over, martial law is still in force. The plain facts in regard to CHAN KING-WAH are that he was traitorously invited by the TUVU to dine with him; that after the third course the TUVU suddenly threw aside the guise of hospitality and shoved him a telegraphic dispatch from President YUAN SHIH-KAI denouncing CHAN KING-WAH and his fellow-guest (the Head of the Tranquillisation Bureau) for a number of high crimes and misdemeanours, and ordering his immediate arrest and punishment "according to martial law." So far as the official report of the affair goes, there is nothing to show that these men were afforded the smallest opportunity of rebutting the charges made against them by the President on the *ex-parte* statements of private individuals who had telegraphed their accusations to the President direct. There is nothing whatever in the official report to suggest that the TUVU himself had proof of CHAN KING-WAH's association with any

conspiracy against the Government. To all appearances General LUNG and CHAN KING-WAH had worked in perfect harmony to bring order out of the chaos which resulted from the recent revolt of the Canton troops, and the people of Canton undoubtedly had good cause to be grateful to CHAN KING-WAH for the courage and ability he displayed in grappling with an exceedingly difficult situation. It is incredible, in the circumstances, that the TUVU could have acted as he did on Tuesday night without the strongest proof of guilt against the two men whom he traitorously invited to a dinner merely to facilitate their arrest and execution. But what satisfactory proof exists? We have been aware that CHAN KING-WAH has been suspect in certain Chinese circles. It has been alleged that he was the power behind CHAN KWING-MING when he declared the independence of the province of Kwangtung, and that when it was seen that "the second revolution" was doomed to fail, he sat upon the fence, resolved, like the famous Vicar of Bray, to hold his appointment whatever King might reign in Canton. His alleged secret disloyalty to the Government at that time is said never to have been forgiven in Peking. While CHAN KING-WAH had a force of between 7,000 and 8,000 men under his command, it was considered dangerous to deal with him "according to martial law," and, so we understand, the way was prepared by gradually reducing the force under his control and at the same time restricting his power and authority, until the time became ripe for giving him the *coup de grace*—not quite in the way it was done, perhaps, but there is no doubt his enemies had been doing their best to get him cashiered for some time past. We were not, however, prepared to associate these rumours with the tragedy of Tuesday night. When the brief announcement of the summary shooting of these officials was received we assumed it to be the result of a police raid which took place at a so-called school in Canton on the 12th inst. Important documents were reported to have been seized relating to a seditious conspiracy, and on the same day a commander of a section of the gendarmerie was summoned to the TUVU's Yamen, and he left it bound by the hands and under arrest. There is nothing in the published accounts to show that the shooting of CHAN KING-WAH was the direct consequence of this raid, but it is noteworthy that the TUVU received his first confidential instructions from the President in regard to CHAN KING-WAH the day following this raid. It was not, however, until two days later that the alleged arch-conspirator and his principal aide were trapped at the Yamen by a ruse which it is difficult to characterise in adequate terms of reprobation. If these men were guilty of the crimes alleged against them in the President's telegram—i.e., conspiring to raise a rebellion and with that object misappropriating Government funds and providing arms and ammunition—there is justification for the fate which has so unexpectedly overtaken them. But the ground for quarrel is that they were trapped and shot without trial, and so far as the official announcements show, they were convicted by the President on the *ex-parte* statements of their enemies among the inhabitants and merchants of Canton, who are described as entertaining the utmost resentment against CHAN KING-WAH because he had "tortured the people" during his tenure of the office he held,—by which presumably is meant that he had adopted drastic measures in a time of anarchy to restore and maintain public order. It shows clearly to the outside world what a sorry and contemptible farce Republican Government is in China, when procedure such as the civilised world associates with savage tribes in the heart of Africa, is applauded by the people in Canton who, two reports tell us, discharged fusillades of crackers to express their joy. If CHAN KING-WAH and his companion in misfortune had been convicted on clear evidence by a competent and impartial tribunal, of the crimes with which they were charged, no unbiased person would have reasonable cause to quarrel with the fate which has overtaken them. CHAN KING-WAH was an officer well known to the Hongkong police authorities with whom he had co-operated for the checking of crime with advantage to the Colony and to Canton, and while no one denies that his methods of dealing with the forces of disorder were unscrupulous and drastic, it is incredible to his friends and acquaintances both in this Colony and in Canton that he was the arch-traitor he is declared to have been. In any case, the manner of his arrest and execution leave an indelible stigma on the régime in China, and the indignation which this secret official murder must excite in the minds of intelligent and law-abiding citizens can hardly serve to allay the prevailing unrest.

A man has been sent to the hospital suffering from injuries sustained in a truck accident on Wednesday.

A Chinese pork dealer, of No. 1, Gough Street, reports to the police that one of his foks collected \$130 and then absconded.

Mr. H. H. J. Gompertz, the Puisne Judge, is booked as a passenger by the P. & O. steamer *Mongolia* leaving Marseilles on October 10th.

M. Sarrant, Governor-General of Indo-China, is, it is stated, leaving for France in October next, in order to be in Paris when the Chambers reassemble.

The police have been informed by a Chinese married woman, residing at No. 5, Sai Wan Street, that on Wednesday night thieves broke open her staircase door, and stole clothing to the value of \$16 and four umbrellas.

Another typhoon has quickly followed on the heels of the one which entered the coast early yesterday morning between Swatow and Amoy and filled up. The black signals were hoisted late yesterday afternoon for a typhoon East of the Colony.

Described as an unemployed seaman, a German named Arnold Ast appeared at the Magistracy yesterday morning on a charge of having been found within the fortifications at Lyemun. Defendant pleaded guilty to trespassing. The case was remanded till to-day.

The death occurred at Yokohama recently somewhat suddenly of Mr. E. R. Manley, who had been a resident at the port for forty years, and had remained in the service of the Pacific Mail Steamship Co. the whole of that time. He died after a brief illness of an apoplectic nature at the age of 67.

Police Sergeant Grant, who is stationed at Yauwutai, has been removed to hospital suffering from injuries sustained through the explosion of dynamite, on Wednesday night. He was testing some dynamite and detonators which had been seized by the police when the explosion occurred. The tops of two fingers were blown off.

Our Tokyo correspondent reports the death of the Rev. D. C. Greene, D.D., the veteran American missionary, who, with the exception of furloughs, has resided in Japan 44 years. He was for some time President of the Asiatic Society of Japan and numerous papers written by him are to be found in the Society's Journal.

The Station-master at Cheung Sui states that on Monday night some person entered the office at the station by breaking open the window, and stole a clock, and three suits of railway uniform, the property of the Government, and a pair of shoes and two umbrellas belonging to himself. The value of the whole property is estimated at \$50.

The marriage arranged between Eric Osborne Alabaster, Royal Engineers, youngest son of the late Sir Chaloner Alabaster, K.C.M.G., His Majesty's Consul-General, China, and of Lady Alabaster, Boscombe, and Muriel, youngest daughter of the late D. A. Darling, of Shanghai, and Mrs. Darling, Rotherfield, Sussex, was to take place on September 10th at St. Denis Church, Rotherfield.

Many residents of Hongkong will regret to learn of the death at Home of Lieut. Colonel H. D. Staupold, who left the Colony scarcely a year ago after a period of service here as Command Paymaster and Treasury Chest Officer. While in Hongkong Lieut. Colonel Staupold seemed to enjoy excellent health and though close upon sixty years of age he was an enthusiastic tennis player and was frequently a player on the cricket field. He is announced to have died very suddenly.

It is announced that Mr. J. F. MacGregor, elder son of the senior partner of the Firm of Messrs. Caldbeck, MacGregor & Co. has been admitted to partnership in the Far Eastern firm as well as in the London firm of MacGregor, Caldbeck & Co. Mr. Jack MacGregor, during his short period of service in the Far East made a host of friends, especially in Hongkong where he secured another partnership by marrying Miss Dorothy Hooper, the younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Shelton Hooper.

At the Catholic Cathedral, on Sunday, the 21st instant, the Very Reverend Father P. de Maria, Pro-Vicar Apostolic, will celebrate the Silver Jubilee Mass of his Ordination of Priesthood. He will be assisted by Reverend Father L. Versiglia, who will deliver a short sermon on the occasion. His Lordship Bishop Pozzoni and the Clergy will attend, and the presence of the Catholic Community is cordially invited. After the service congratulatory addresses will be presented to Father de Maria (by kind permission) in the Hall of the Catholic Union.

Hon. Francis B. Harrison, Governor-General of the Philippine Islands, who is coming out on the *Manchuria*, is accompanied by the Hon. Manuel Quezon, resident commissioner; Mr. Seldomridge, private secretary to the Governor-General; Mr. Bonsal, member of the Municipal Board of the City of Manila; Major Herman Hall, Bureau of Constabulary.

Captain Philip Streetfield, M.V.O., who commands the battleship *Triumph*, now on her way to Hongkong, has served afloat for twenty-eight years, having been a cadet of July, 1885, was promoted lieutenant in 1894, commander in 1903, and captain five years ago. He was flag lieutenant of the cruiser *Halibut* when Rear-Admiral Bedford landed a punitive expedition in 1894 to proceed against Chief Nanna up the Benue River, and was present at the capture of the chief's stronghold (medal with "Benue River, 1894" clasp), and he also took part in the expedition against King Koko, up the Brass River in 1895 ("Brass River, 1895" clasp). He got his M.V.O. in 1906.

At the Magistracy yesterday afternoon, Mr. G. N. Orme gave his decision in the case in which three Chinese were charged with being in unlawful possession of Kwangtung bank-notes to the face value of nearly \$70,000. Mr. F. B. L. Bowley presented, and Mr. G. K. Hall Brutton was for the defence. Hsi Worship said he was of opinion that possession of property stolen outside the Colony was not covered by Section 39 of the Summary Offenders' Ordinance, of 1845, under which the charge was preferred, and he discharged the defendants. They were immediately re-arrested on charges brought by Mr. Bowley under Section 30 of the Larceny Ordinance of 1865. Bail was granted in \$1,000 each, and the case was formally remanded till to-day, when the men will appear before Mr. Hazeland.

THE LATEST CANTON SENSATION.

NUMEROUS ARRESTS.

Our Canton correspondent writes:—A few days ago, eight persons suspected of being rebels were arrested in a house near Sam Fu Chin. It has now been ascertained that several of them were privates and petty officers of the Luk Kwan (Land Army) and took part in the recent mutiny. Later they fled to Hongkong, where they were employed by Chu Chup Sun (formerly Head of the Audit Department, and a relative of ex-Tutuh Wu Hon Man) at a salary of \$30 per month to return to Canton to establish headquarters for inducing persons to join in the conspiracy. Chu was not in the house when it was raided; on that very night he went to Hongkong where he is reported to be staying at present.

On Wednesday morning a man named Sung who arrived from Hongkong was followed by a detective all the way from the wharf to Kwai Heung Street. He entered the house of a lady doctor and subsequently was arrested by a number of soldiers and brought to the Tutuh's Yamen for trial. Sung is a brother-in-law of Cheung Ngaw Kune, who temporarily occupied the Tutuhship prior to the arrival of General Lung, and is said to be an accomplice in the plot engineered by Chu Chup Sun and others.

On Monday last, Governor-General Lung ordered the Chai Kwan to make a general search, at all the hotels, boarding houses and schools, for suspicious characters. As a result over a hundred arrests were made, but later in the day most of the victims were found to be innocent and released. About a dozen of them are still detained for the purpose of further examination. Two men arrested in the Sam Yick boarding house, who had in their possession numerous seditious documents, were sent to the Tutuh's Yamen to be tried by court-martial.

BANKRUPTCY OF MR. E. SANDEMAN.

In the Court of Bankruptcy, London, on 15th ult., a meeting was held of the creditors of Ernest Sandeman, whose statement of affairs showed liabilities £21,665 and assets, cash, £1 10s. 8d. It was reported that the debtor came to Hongkong from Hongkong with a capital of £26,000, while, in addition, he had money on deposit with a firm in India. For about three years after his arrival he travelled for pleasure, and was then appointed director of various companies. His income from that source never exceeded \$800 per annum, and during the past few years he had held no directorships. His capital had gradually dwindled through speculation, and four years ago he was obliged to have recourse to moneylenders, obtaining loans from time to time. The debtor, who stated that he owed £16,000 to his wife, attributed his failure to the result of speculations, the interest on borrowed money, and depreciation of securities. There was no proposal before the meeting for the payment of a composition, and the case was left in the Official Receiver's hands.

TELEGRAMS. TELEGRAMS.

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GENERAL CHANG HSUNG TO APOLOGISE.

Tokyo, September 18th.

The Peking correspondent of the *Fiji* cables that General Chang Hsun, commanding the Government troops at Nanking, has wired to the President expressing his readiness to apologise to the Japanese Consul for the murder of Japanese subjects by men belonging to his force.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

BRUSH WITH REBELS IN AFRICA.

ITALIAN GENERAL KILLED IN FOREFRONT OF THE BATTLE.

London, September 18th.

A number of Italian troops, commanded by General Torelli, in pursuing rebels from an abandoned position at Gsur, midway between Benghazi and Derna, encountered the enemy in a broken, wooded country. After a stubborn engagement the enemy were beaten off with the help of timely reinforcements.

General Torelli died in the forefront of the battle, two officers were killed and 18 wounded, and three men killed and 70 wounded. The rebels suffered heavy losses, including important chiefs.

THE GERMAN COURT OF HONOUR INCIDENT.

PROFESSOR MAASS RELEASED.

Berlin, September 18th.

Professor Maass, who shot Captain Westerhagen at a German Court of Honour after the latter had slapped his face, has been released, the authorities being satisfied that he acted in self-defence.

The affair has caused a sensation in Berlin. Professor Maass had written articles alleging that Captain Westerhagen promised an intermediary £100 to obtain the office of Court Chamberlain to the Principality of Lippe for him, and that after his appointment he refused to pay. The two met outside the Court of Honour and had words. The Captain, who was a huge man, picked up the little elderly Professor and slapped his face repeatedly, and then flung him against the wall. Professor Maass shot the Captain in the heart.

GERMAN ATTACHE'S SERIOUS ACCIDENT.

London, September 18th.

Major Winterfeld, a German Attaché, who was attending the French manoeuvres, was seriously injured by a motor-car overturning. He sustained a fracture of the pelvis. President Poincaré has repeatedly enquired as to his condition.

THE TURCO-BULGARIAN NEGOTIATIONS.

Constantinople, September 18th.

The discussion between the Turkish and Bulgarian delegates, at the meeting to-day, will be chiefly concerned with the possession of Demotika. When an agreement on this question is reached, the delegates will examine the demarcation of the frontier, fixed by military assessors, as follows:—Starting at Enos, it follows the course of the River Maritza and turns west in order to enclose Demotika, then northward *via* Samana and Hadikeui, turning eastward to the south of Mustapha Pasha, passing north of Kirk Killissch, and ending at San Stefano, in the Black Sea.

It is understood that the agreement will be referred to The Hague Conference.

LATER.

The Turco-Bulgarian delegates at Constantinople settled the frontier question yesterday, and it is expected that the protocol will be signed to-day.

The Bulgarians offered to build at their own expense a railway from Adrianople to Babaschi in exchange for Demotika, which the Turks declined.

Demotika has been awarded to Turkey, practically all of whose demands has been conceded.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

THE RAILWAY TROUBLE IN ENGLAND.

INVESTIGATION BY UNION DELEGATES.

London, September 18th.

The Executive of the National Union of Railwaymen has decided to send delegates to Liverpool to investigate the situation there, fearing that it is the beginning of a national strike.

The branches at Birmingham, where 4,000 men are out on strike, have passed a resolution appealing to all railwaymen to strike.

All the goods stations in Birmingham were closed yesterday, and 5,500 are idle. The outlook in Liverpool is more promising. The Strike Committee is renewing an offer to negotiate with the London and North-Western Railway Company. A number of strikers have resumed work.

Delegates from the National Railwaymen's Executive left Birmingham for London yesterday evening with a demand from Birmingham and district for a national strike.

Coventry railway men have resolved on protesting against the drastic action of the Liverpool and Birmingham railway men without the sanction of the Executive.

LONDON BUSMEN'S STRIKE.

London, September 18th.

Eighty busmen in the employ of Messrs. Tilling have ceased work and only 12 are now working. At meetings held at midnight, the busmen declared that they must insist on the right of the members of the Union to wear the Union badge, and on the re-instatement of the employees of Messrs. Tilling who have been suspended.

It has been arranged that all London motor busmen shall strike at midnight to-morrow unless the Tilling Company yields.

MORE RIOTS IN DUBLIN.

London, September 18th.

A number of farm hands, who are members of the Transport Workers' Union, created a riot at Finglas, near Dublin. The police fired their revolvers, and a boy was shot. He lies in a critical condition.

A procession of strikers smashed the windows of tram-cars in Dublin.

ANOTHER RISING IN MOROCCO.

London, September 18th.

The Spaniards were again severely pressed around Ceuta, where Raisuli, a noted antagonist of the French, assumed the leadership. The enemy are strong. Reinforcements are leaving Spain.

A RACE FOR AN OLD WAGER.

ADMIRAL AND CAPTAIN RUN 100 YARDS AT PORTSMOUTH.

London, September 18th.

Admiral Sir Robert Arbuthnot and Captain Eric Buck ran 100 yards at Portsmouth on Wednesday in fulfilment of a wager of £2 made twenty years ago. Captain Buck won in 12 1/2 seconds.

Admiral Sir Hedworth Meux was the judge.

AMERICAN OPEN GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP.

Brookline (Mass.), Sept. 16th.

In the second qualifying round of this championship the play of the British representatives was brilliant, Ray's score being 74/74, and that of Reid of Banstead 72/77.

Modermott, the American favourite, qualified with 80/81.

Betting favours Vardon, with Ray a close second.

HOME CRICKET.

London, September 18th.

The Rest of England beat an eleven selected from Kent and Yorks by an innings and 45 runs at the Oval.

OBITUARY.

London, September 18th.

The death is announced of the noted Socialist, Mr. Harry Quelch.

TELEGRAMS.

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ROMANCE OF THE PEARL NECKLACE.

OFFERED IN EXCHANGE FOR A GLASS OF BEER.

LONDON, September 18th.

It appears that the workman who discovered the pearls belonging to the stolen necklace offered them at a public house in exchange for a glass of beer, and the publican refused to accept them.

Two mates, who entered the public house with him, advised him to throw them in the gutter, saying that they were not worth two pence.

After the finder had given the police the pearls, which he thought were valueless, he found one in a pocket, and visited several public houses with his mates offering what he called a marble or bead for a drink or a penny, and subsequently he lost it.

The police yesterday were searching the public houses for the lost pearl, which is one of the finest of the set, and worth £3,000.

The question of the division of the reward is an interesting problem.

THE INDIAN ARMY.

PROBABLE NEW COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

LONDON, September 18th.

The Daily Express states that the Authorities are considering the appointment of General Sir Ian Hamilton in succession to General Crough to the command of the Indian Army, and that it is probable that the post of Inspector-General of the Forces will be abolished.

FIRE AT GHENT EXHIBITION.

BRUSSELS, September 18th.

A fire occurred at the Ghent Exhibition at midnight. Four pavilions were destroyed before it was extinguished.

FRENCH TROOP TRAIN DERAILED.

12 KILLED; 30 INJURED.

NICE, September 18th.

A troop train while running between Cannes and Grasse was derailed. Three carriages fell into a ravine fifty feet deep.

Twelve people were killed, and thirty injured.

ULSTER AND HOME RULE.

"TIME FOR TALKING ENDED."

LONDON, September 18th.

At Parades of the Ulster Volunteers held at Killeel, County Down, Sir Edward Carson said that the time for talking was ended. Representatives of the whole of Ulster would meet in Council next week to arrange details of a provisional government, which, of course, was illegal, but they must not be afraid of illegalities in the protection of their rights.

Mr. F. E. Smith said the Unionists would not be a party to a conference, the basis of which was Home Rule. The English who encouraged Ulstermen would not fail them in their hour of need.

MR BALFOUR VISITS BALMORAL.

LONDON, September 18th.

Mr. Balfour has arrived at Balmoral, where Mr. Churchill is at present the Minister in attendance.

UNEXPECTED RETURN OF MR. LLOYD GEORGE.

LONDON, September 18th.

Mr. Lloyd George has returned from the Continent unexpectedly, and proceeds north to see the Chief Whip.

THE NEW CHINESE STAMPS.

The Shanghai papers have been informed that there are now nineteen denominations of the new Chinese stamps. Four additional ones having been added, namely, 6, 8, and 15 cents and the \$10 stamp. The design and denominations of the new stamps are:—

Junk Design.—1 and 1 cent, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 10 cents; Reaper Design.—15, 16, 20, 30 and 50 cents; Arch Design.—\$1, \$2, \$5 and \$10. Some of these stamps have been on sale for some time at the different Chinese Post Offices and the others will be issued as soon as the stock of the old stamps is exhausted. For the present both the old and the new stamps will be recognized for postal purposes, and due notice will be given as to the date when the old issue will be obsolete.

INTERPORT POLO.

SHANGHAI VICTORIOUS.

The interport polo match between Hongkong and Shanghai for the Kewick Cup was played on the polo ground at Causeway Bay yesterday afternoon in the presence of a large number of spectators. The match resulted in an easy win for the visitors by five goals to one.

The Shanghai Polo Club flag flew from the Club House, and the full band of the D.C.L.I. discoursed selections of music during the afternoon.

His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government (Hon. Mr. Claud Severn) was present, also Sir William and Lady Rees Davies, Hon. Mr. D. Landale, His Excellency Major General Kelly, C.B., M. Gaston Liebert (Consul for France), Colonel Youpan, Major Fitzwilliams, Major Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. Maitland, Mr. and Mrs. B. Hancock, Messrs. N. J. Stabb, H. A. Nesbit, Patterson, G. Hastings, R. F. C. Master, F. Mason, J. W. Bolles and many others.

The weather was threatening, but only a few slight showers of rain fell. The ground, however, was very soft, and in consequence the play was slow, but much faster than might have been expected in the circumstances. The match was one of four eight-minute chukkas, with an interval of three minutes between the first and second and third and fourth chukkas and five minutes between the second and third chukkas.

Naturally the game was one in which a keen interest was taken, for it was to decide whether the Kewick Cup should remain in Hongkong, or be taken back to Shanghai by the visiting team. It goes back to the North. Results of previous interport matches played in connection with this trophy are as follows:—

1907, Shanghai beat the 3rd Middlesex at Shanghai.

1908, Hongkong beat the Shanghai Polo Club at Hongkong.

1910, Hongkong beat the Shanghai Polo Club at Shanghai.

The players in yesterday's match were:—

HONGKONG. Major Hall (Capt.), Mr. R. I. Fearon (Capt.), Major Dickinson, Mr. P. Crighton, Captain Edye, Mr. E. H. MacMichael, Lieut. Bisdee, Mr. V. Davies.

The referees were Major McHardy and Captain Conolly, and the goal umpires, Lieuts. Bradney, Brunt, Mills and Blagrove.

Play started at 4.50 p.m., and Hongkong got away as soon as the ball was thrown in, Dickinson taking a shot which just missed. Davies of Shanghai transferred the play, and for a time Hongkong's goal was in great peril. Hall relieved the pressure and play passed to the Shanghai quarter, where the local team endeavored to get through the Shanghai defence. A good opportunity was given the last named player, but he failed to take advantage of it. The Hongkong men then fell back before the superior play of the visitors, whose ponies were faster, and whose combination and passing were better. Fearon made a splendid rush on the Hongkong goal before which a brief melee occurred until the ball was sent between the posts by the Shanghai captain, who registered his team's first goal. Almost immediately after the throw in Shanghai again took charge of the ball, and before the local players realised what had happened Crighton had registered another goal. A fresh start, and Edye took the ball for a short run, but was relieved of it by MacMichael who failed in his shot at goal. After the hit off, play continued in the vicinity of the local posts, and before the call of time MacMichael had added another goal to the visitors' score. Shanghai, 3 goals; Hongkong, nil.

In the second chukka the local men made a good dash off, and sent the ball travelling towards the Shanghai stronghold, Edye taking a shot which went behind. Following the hit off MacMichael lifted the ball across the field, and the Shanghai players again bore down on the Hongkong goal. Davies showing an ability equal to that of his comrades for straight shooting by adding another point to the score of the visitors. On the restart Hongkong took charge of the ball, and when within shooting distance Bisdee took a long shot at the Shanghai goal, missing by inches. By steady work, accurate hitting and good combination the visitors again forced the local men to defend until they were relieved by the ball going behind. Shanghai 4; Hongkong, nil.

In the third chukka play alternated between each end of the field until Shanghai had a shot which failed. The hit out saw a rush to the Shanghai goal and Dickinson appeared to have a favourable opportunity for recording Hongkong's first score. The superior speed of Davies' mount, however, and the smart play of the rider, robbed the Major of his opportunity. The Shanghai gallop towards the other end of the field was stopped by the local forwards who were

subsequently well fed, but for a time could do nothing. Eventually Hill got an opportunity and drove the ball hard and straight for the visitors' goal, recording the one and only point for the local team amid a great burst of cheering from the spectators. The ball was scarcely thrown in after this before it was passing to the Hongkong end, and another cheer greeted Fearon as he eluded the local players and added another goal to the Shanghai score. Further play followed before the whistle called a halt, and the visitors were then aggressive. Shanghai 5 goals; Hongkong 1.

The fourth and last chukka was played on a ground well cut up, and although the local men made valiant efforts to reduce the lead of the visitors they were unsuccessful. The ball traversed the field rapidly, but generally the advantage was with Shanghai. There were many exciting melees during the last few minutes, but there was no alteration in the score at the finish, the result being:—

SHANGHAI..... 5 goals.

HONGKONG..... 1 goal.

The outstanding feature of the game were the speed and training of the visitors' ponies as compared with the Hongkong mounts. Also, the men from Shanghai greatly excelled the local players. They were more accurate at shooting, made more certain of their hits, and played together well. The Hongkong men were poorly horsed and very frequently lost opportunities because their ponies lacked the necessary turn of speed. Again, they failed to mark their opponents sufficiently, a factor which the Shanghai representatives never neglected, and they appeared to hit wildly and erratically, more often missing the ball than striking it. The visitors played an excellent game throughout, winning on their merits, and were cordially congratulated by many old polo players who were present.

His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government (Hon. Mr. Claud Severn) subsequently presented Captain Fearon of the Shanghai team with the Kewick Cup. He said he was very glad indeed to have the cup to present that day. He was told a few days ago after the arrival of the visiting team—that the cup was missing. He did not mean to suggest that any member of the Shanghai team had taken it (Laughter). He understood that on the last visit of Mark Twain to England—that the time of Asot Cup was lost—he complained bitterly at a dinner given in his honour that when he arrived in Liverpool he saw on the newspaper placards: "Arrival of Mark Twain. Loss of Asot Cup." It would be a most deplorable thing if the local press announced the arrival of the Shanghai team and the loss of the Kewick Cup (Laughter). But the Kewick Cup had been found. It was at Mr. Stabb's Shanghai had played a good game, had won, and would take the cup back to Shanghai. He hoped Hongkong would be able to go to Shanghai in the Spring and win it back. He had much pleasure in handing Mr. Fearon the cup, and hoped that he would have as good a team at Shanghai next year as he had for this match (Applause).

Three cheers were raised for the Shanghai team on the call of H.E. the Officer Administering the Government, and on the call of the Shanghai Captain further cheers followed for His Excellency and the Hongkong Polo Club.

THE ROYAL HONGKONG YACHT CLUB.

The report of the sailing committee gives the following results of the season's racing:—

HANDICAP CLASS. Championship—Rolla, Mr. F. Smyth..... 1. Diana, Sir F. H. May..... 2. Ladies Race—Dorothea, Mrs. Harston..... 1. Diana, Miss May..... 2. Commodore's Cup—Rolla, Mr. F. Smyth..... 1.

BOTH CLASSES TOGETHER. Mr. House's Cup—Bonito, Messrs. Denison and Bird..... 1. Diana, Sir F. H. May..... 2. Colleen, Mr. H. E. Pollock..... 3.

Interclub Race—Rolla, Mr. F. Smyth..... 1. Diana, Sir F. H. May..... 2. Regatta—Rolla, Mr. F. Smyth..... 1. Kathleen, Officers R.E.M..... 2. Kathleen, Officers R.E.M..... 3. Rolla Cup—La Linda, Mr. A. Bunc..... 2.

CHURCH CLASS. Miranda, Mr. G. K. Hall..... 1. Brutton..... 2. Dorothy, Messrs. Denison and Cunningham..... 3.

ONE DESIGN CLASS. Bonito, Messrs. Denison and Bird..... 1. Halcyn, Capt. Johnston..... 2. Bonito, Miss Denison..... 3. Daphne, Miss Gordon..... 4. Halcyn, Capt. Johnston..... 5.

HONGKONG FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION.

The Referees' Board of the above Association will meet at the R.E. Theatre next Friday, 23rd September, at 5 p.m., for the purpose of compiling the list of official referees for the coming season. Officials who have already passed the qualifying examination are requested to forward details, with certificates if possible, to the Hon. Sec., Mr. F. W. Eager, at the R.N.O. Depot, before the date of the meeting if they wish to be included. Others, who wish to be tested, are to forward their names and addresses to the Hon. Secretary as early as possible so that arrangements may be made for their examination at the same meeting.

SUPREME COURT.

Thursday, September 18th.

IN CRIMINAL JURISDICTION.

BEFORE HIS HONOUR SIR WILLIAM REES DAVIES (CHIEF JUSTICE).

A NOLLE PROSEQUI.

The Attorney-General (Hon. Mr. J. A. S. Bucknill, K.C.) stated that in the case of *Reo v. Alim Khan* he proposed to enter a nolle prosequi.

His Lordship—Let it be done.

ALLEGED MANSLAUGHTER.

Lok Kwai pleaded not guilty to a charge of manslaughter, and the following jury was empanelled:—Messrs. K. M. Cumming (foreman), J. Riecken, A. Currie, V. B. da Souza, E. Zoller, R. O. Gutierrez, and M. A. dos Santos Gomes.

The Attorney-General prosecuted, and the prisoner was undefended.

The Attorney-General, in opening, informed the Court and jury that the accused in this case was charged with manslaughter, not with murder. The circumstances of the case were comparatively simple. About 10.30 on the morning of the 24th July there appeared at the Police Station the accused, and it was only right to say that he was taken there by some other Chinese. He was knocked about considerably; that was to say, he had bruises on the chest, and what was familiarly called "a black eye." At the same time there appeared at the station a young man who was stabbed in the abdomen. No doubt had the stab been in the shoulder, groin or any muscular part of the body the result might not have been so serious, but he was taken to the hospital and died of peritonitis. The cause of this was the subject of the present charge. The accused was a stranger to the man he was charged with killing. Prisoner appeared to have been employed on a launch, and one morning while working on that launch, a Chinese employed on a cargo boat hired a rowing boat to take him ashore. The rowing boat pulled up beside the wharf, and beside the boat on which the accused was working. The accused either intentionally or unintentionally—because the accounts differ—threw something overboard from the launch. Deceased said the missile had been thrown at him, and consequently entered into a quarrel. The men appeared to have used abusive words, and to have challenged each other to fight. What happened after that was a matter the jury had to form their own opinion upon from the evidence. It was clear that both men went ashore, and that there was a quarrel. Here the stories told by the witnesses for the prosecution and the accused and his witnesses diverged considerably. The Attorney-General remarked in conclusion that he was not putting the case for the prosecution only, but for the accused as well.

The verdict of the jury was "not guilty," and accused was discharged.

DISTRICT WATCHMAN CHARGED WITH MURDER.

Lo Chim was indicted on a charge of murder. A plea of not guilty was entered, and the following were sworn as jurors:—Messrs. P. F. Farrell (foreman), A. H. Carroll, R. A. Carvalho, A. V. Ward, H. L. Jorge, G. H. van den Pol and J. M. V. Remedios.

The Attorney-General, instructed by the Assistant Crown Solicitor (Mr. G. A. Woodcock) appeared for the Crown, and prisoner was defended by Mr. F. C. Jenkin, who was instructed by Mr. W. E. L. Shenton (of Messrs. Deacon, Looker, Deacon & Harston).

The Attorney-General said the charge in this case was one which needed a little more careful consideration than usual, because the accused was a District Watchman. The man whom the accused was charged with killing appeared to have been a shop coolie. At about 5 o'clock on July 14 the accused arrived at No. 7 Police Station in an excitable condition. There he saw Inspector Dymond, who told him to explain what he wanted to one of the Chinese sergeants who was present. Accused made a long statement, and when the police went outside the station they found a dead man in a ricksha—the man who was alleged to have been killed by the prisoner. An examination of this man showed that his body had been very much knocked about. At the time of this occurrence the accused was not in uniform, and was not on duty, and the place where deceased was alleged to have been killed was a place which was not in the district of the accused. The suggestion of the Crown was that the accused with his truncheon beat the deceased violently, and in what might be called a brutal manner, breaking his ribs and causing his death. It might be said, and probably would be said in defence, either that this man did not do it at all, or that if he did do it he had some extenuating circumstances. There were three witnesses, all of whose evidence was of the greatest importance. They appeared, so far as could be seen, to be independent persons, and, according

to their accounts, all three actually saw what took place: they all said that they saw accused above the deceased with a truncheon, and they also said that deceased made no attempt to resist, or do anything which might possibly give rise to a plea of extenuation. Evidence was called and the hearing adjourned.

BEFORE HIS HONOUR MR. J. H. KEMP (PUISNE JUDGE).

ALLEGED KIDNAPPING.

Ho Sang was arraigned on a charge of kidnapping. Accused pleaded not guilty, and the following jurors were sworn:—Messrs. H. F. Hickman, D. G. Nicoll, J. Osborne, W. H. Worth, D. P. J. Lopes, E. Abraham and L. de Breton.

The Crown Solicitor (Mr. P. M. Hodgson) informed the jury that the prisoner was charged with taking away a small boy from his parents, who lived at Kramer Street, Mongkokkai. On July 3rd the boy was seen going out with the prisoner, apparently to drink tea. Neither the prisoner nor the small boy returned. The mother went out to look for the child, but could not find him, and a subsequent search by the husband proved unsuccessful, so he reported the matter to the police. Eventually it was found that the child had been taken to Macao, and the father and mother went there and obtained it from the police. Prisoner was seen taking the boy from the house, and there was further evidence of the prisoner being seen with the boy in Macao, where he was arrested with two other men and later brought back to Hongkong. In answer to this charge prisoner stated that on July 3rd he came across to Hongkong for a walk with the small boy. The latter said he wished to go for a walk on board a big steamer, but the hatchway door was shut and they could not get ashore, so they went to Macao. Next day he meant to return to Hongkong with the small boy, who was crying in the street at Macao, and accused was arrested.

The jury returned a verdict of guilty, and prisoner was sentenced to five years' hard labour.

IN APPELLATE JURISDICTION.

BEFORE THE FULL COURT (THEIR HONOURS THE CHIEF JUSTICE AND MR. JUSTICE KEMP).

EXTENSION OF TIME FOR APPEAL GRANTED. An application was made for an extension of time for proceeding with the appeal against the decision of Mr. Justice Kemp in the case of *Ip Tsuk San v. the Po Wan Insurance Co., Ltd.*, in which the Puisse Judge entered judgment for plaintiff for \$1,000 and costs.

Mr. F. C. Jenkin, who was instructed by Mr. P. W. Goldring (of Messrs. Goldring & Russ), made the application. He said the claim in the action was under an insurance policy, and arose out of a fire in Canton. He stated that immediately after the hearing of the action application was made for a copy of the Judge's notes, but they were not yet completed, and he had no opportunity of drawing up his case for appeal. He understood the notes would not be ready for another week, and suggested that the time should be extended by three weeks. The Court agreed to extend the time to the first day of the next term.

THE RECENT MURDER OF AN ENGLISHMAN IN MONGOLIA.

MR. GRANT'S BODY FOUND.

Mr. F. A. Larsen, Adviser to the Chinese Government on Mongolian Affairs, has found the body of the late Mr. Grant, of the Chinese Telegraph Administration, who was recently killed by bandits in Mongolia, and has sent it to Kalgan by a Mongol.

The remains were found near the outlaws' camp. Mr. Grant was undoubtedly killed by Mongols, as at first reported. One bullet had passed through the head, which proves that he died quickly. Articles of clothing and the bodies of Grant's Chinese companions were also found.

The body was placed in a mission compound pending the arrival of Mr. Henningsen, Superintendent of the Chinese Telegraph Administration in Peking.

It appears that Mongols never bury their dead, but always place bodies in open fields, where wolves and vultures usually devour them. The proximity of the Mongol encampment apparently kept such scavengers away from the bodies of Mr. Grant and his Chinese companions in this instance.

CHINESE VICTORY OVER MONGOLS.

FOUR DAYS' ENGAGEMENT.

Wang Hui-shing, Chinese Resident in Dolon, reports that after four days' fighting he obtained a great victory over 5,000 Mongols, who are under the command of Tich Lama near Gagalata. Half of the Mongols were killed on the battlefield. More than ten fortified places have consequently fallen into the hands of the Chinese.

President Yuan Shih-kai has conferred upon Wang the fifth order of merit, while he has sent \$20,000 to be distributed amongst the troops who fought at Gagalata.

STRANGE DISAPPEARANCE AT WUHU.

FOREIGN LADY MISSING.

The foreign community at Wuhu has been much stirred by the mysterious disappearance of Mrs. George Miller of the Methodist Mission. She left her room on Tuesday morning, the 9th inst., between two and five o'clock without attracting the attention of anyone in the house.

Mr. Miller, who slept on the verandah adjoining his wife's room, was not aware of her absence till about six o'clock. At once his suspicion was aroused from the fact that Mrs. Miller had left without putting on her dress.

All day Tuesday and Wednesday and up to eleven o'clock on the morning of the 11th parties scoured the neighbourhood without discovering any reliable clue as to her whereabouts. The prevailing opinion is that she may have fallen into the river.

Mrs. Miller was advanced in years, of a quiet and noble character, and greatly esteemed by her numerous friends. Of late she has been failing in health and has been somewhat depressed in mind. The present political trouble seems also to have affected her greatly.

DEAD MAN APPOINTED TO A DIPLOMATIC POST.

The late Mr. Abe, the official of the Japanese Foreign Office who was recently assassinated, has been posthumously appointed Minister to Belgium. The object of this strange appointment, which is much criticised in the Press, is apparently to obtain an increased monetary grant for the family.

INTIMATIONS

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GUINNESS'S "WHEEL" BRAND STOUT.

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MACGREGOR CALDERHEAD & Co.
Hongkong, 18th September, 1913. [1092]

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Hongkong, 19th September, 1913. [1091]

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM CALCUTTA, RANGOON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship

"JELUNGA,"
having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed at once, at Consignees' risk and expense.

Cargo remaining on board after 2 P.M. of the 19th inst. will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense.

Consignees of Cargo from SINGAPORE and PENANG are requested to take IMMEDIATE delivery of their goods from alongside, such Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned.

DAVID SASSOON & Co., Ltd.
Agents.

Hongkong, 15th September, 1913. [60]

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

FROM YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND MOJI.

THE Steamship

"DILWARA,"
having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned.

DAVID SASSOON & Co., Ltd.
Agents.

Hongkong, 15th September, 1913. [60]

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM EUROPE, COLOMBO AND STRAITS.

THE Steamship

"DEN OF GLAMIS,"
having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., whences and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

Goods not cleared by the 24th inst. at 6 P.M. will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged packages, are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 4th inst. at 9.30 A.M.

Claims against the Steamer must be presented within 10 days of arrival, otherwise they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by **JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.**
Agents.

Hongkong, 18th September, 1913. [49]

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, BREMEN.

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

"GNEISENAU,"
having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, Kowloon, and West Point Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignees before NOON TO-DAY requesting it to be landed here.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all goods remaining undelivered after the 24th inst. will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 24th inst. at 9.30 A.M.

All Claims must reach us before the 30th inst., or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, BREMEN.
MELCHERS & Co.
General Agents.

Hongkong, 17th September, 1913. [4]

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB.

THE CLOSING of Entries for the Annual "Aquatic Sports" have been **ALTERED TO TO-MORROW (SATURDAY), the 20th September, at 7 P.M.**

FRANK LAMMERT.
Hon. Secretary.
Hongkong, 19th September, 1913. [1093]

U. S. R. C.

THERE will be an **EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING** of Members at the Club Grounds at 5 P.M. on **THURSDAY, 25th September.**

To confirm the Resolutions passed at the last meeting.

To discuss the proposal of the Finance and Entertainment Committees.

To discuss any other matter referring to the Club Building.

By Order,
T. M. WAKEFIELD, Esq.,
Hon. Secretary, U.S.R.C.

Hongkong, 19th September, 1913. [1089]

HONGKONG COTTON SPINNING, WEAVING & DYING CO., LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS of the above Company will be held at the Offices of the General Managers on **THURSDAY, the 2nd October, 1913, at 12 Noon.** For the purpose of receiving the Report of the Managing Committee and Statement of Accounts to 31st July, 1913.

The **TRANSFER BOOKS** of the Company will be **CLOSED** on the 25th September to the 2nd October, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers.

Hongkong, 18th September, 1913. [1090]

INTIMATIONS

HONGKONG CLUB.

NOTICE.

THE TWENTY-FOURTH HALF-YEARLY DRAWING of 65 DEBENTURES (1898 issue) of the **HONGKONG CLUB**, Payable on **TUESDAY, the 30th September, 1913, will be held in the CLUB HOUSE at 11 o'clock A.M. TO-DAY (FRIDAY), the 19th September, 1913.**

Bearers of Debentures are invited to attend the Drawing.

By Order,
JAMES CRAIK,
Secretary.

Hongkong, 9th September, 1913. [1050]

HONGKONG LAWN BOWLS LEAGUE.

OPEN SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP.

THE FINAL TIES in this COMPETITION will be played on the **POLICE CLUB GREENS, HAPPY VALLEY, TO-MORROW (SATURDAY), the 20th inst., at 3.30 P.M.** The Prizes for the Championship and the Trophy for the League will be presented to the successful competitors by Mrs. Messer.

Members and Friends of the Competing Teams are invited to be present.

B. L. FROST,
Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, 18th September, 1913. [1097]

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THE Superiors and Sisters of the Italian Convent have the honour to announce that their

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ITALIAN CONVENT,

28, Caine Road.

Hongkong, 18th September, 1913. [1085]

NOTICE.

THE DRAWING of 60 DEBENTURES of the **CLUB GERMANIA** Payable on **TUESDAY, 30th September, 1913, will be held at the CLUB at 6 o'clock on THURSDAY, 25th September, 1913.**

Bearers of debentures are invited to attend the drawing.

For the Committee,
P. W. PRAFF,
Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, 17th September, 1913. [1084]

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

SUBSCRIPTION GRIFFINS FOR THE 1914 MEETING.

MEMBERS desirous of Subscribing are requested to send their Names to the Undersigned as soon as possible. Lists will be found at the **HONGKONG CLUB** and at the **Jockey Club's Office.**

H. P. WHITE,
Acting Clerk of the Course.

Hongkong, 9th September, 1913. [1080]

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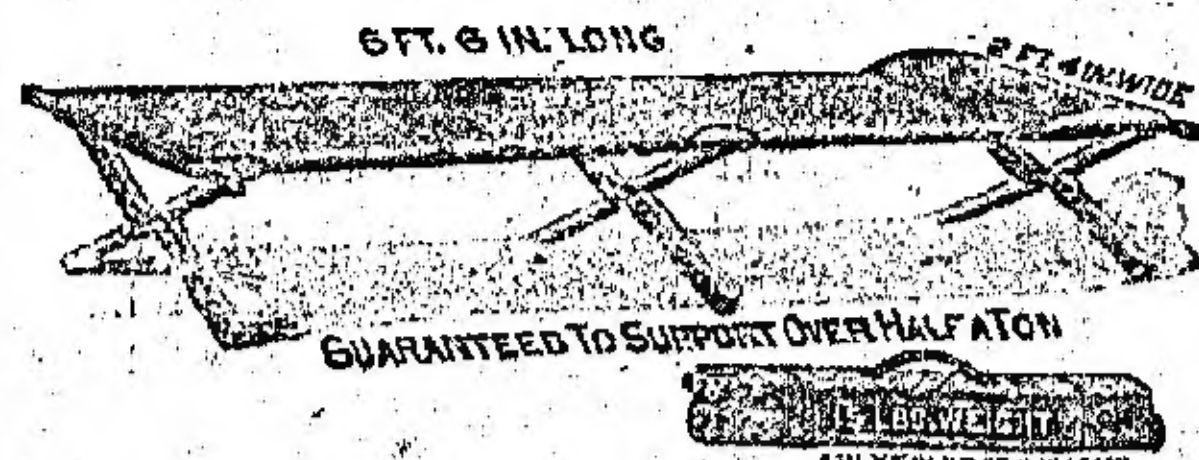
By Order of the Directors,
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Hongkong, 9th August, 1913. [958]

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D. CHELLARAM.
Hongkong, 26th July, 1913. [907]

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Hongkong, 8th May, 1913. [552]

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The **TRANSFER BOOKS** will be **CLOSED** from the 10th to the 24th of September, both days inclusive.

DOUGLAS, LAPRAIK & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, 2nd September, 1913. [1032]

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE.

SHARE CERTIFICATE No. 8008 for **TWENTY-FIVE (25) SHARES** numbered 77727 to 77751 inclusive, fully paid-up, standing in the name of **JEROME FRANK** of Manila, having been **LOST** or **DESTROYED**, **NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that unless the said Certificate be produced at the Offices of the Company, Alexandra Buildings, Des Voeux Road Central, Hongkong, on or before the **23rd September, 1913**, New Certificate for the said Shares will be issued and the Old Certificate will thereafter be held by the Company as Null and Void.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,
General Managers.
Hongkong, 23rd August, 1913. [1001]

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that **SCRIP CERTIFICATE** with respect to 5 Shares numbered 4799/4803 in the above Office standing in the name of **ANDRINO SAI** (deceased), of Bangkok, has been **LOST**, and should the same not be produced before the 27th instant, a new Scrip Certificate will be issued in favour of the said **ANDRINO SAI** (deceased), and no transaction taking place under the old Scrip Certificate will be recognised by the Office.

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Hongkong, 12th September, 1913. [1076]

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CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 20th inst. will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Underwriter on or before the 27th inst., or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 20th inst., at 11 A.M.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by G.H.B. LIVINGSTON & CO., Agents.

Hongkong, 13th September, 1913. [1078]

FROM PORTLAND (OR) AND PUGET SOUND PORTS.

THE H.A.L. Steamer

"C. FERD. LAEISZ,"

Captain Gieseler, having arrived, Consignees are hereby notified to send in their Bills of Lading for Consignments, and take immediate delivery of Cargo from alongside.

Cargo remaining undelivered on 18th inst., at Noon, will be loaded at Consignees' risk and expense and delivery must then be taken from the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co., Godowns.

Cargo remaining undelivered on 24th inst., at Noon, will, in addition to landing charges, be subject to storage charges.

No Fire Insurance whatever will be effected.

All chafed and otherwise damaged Cargo to be left on board or in the Godowns, the examination of same to be held on 25th inst., at 10 A.M.

Claims must be accompanied by short delivery notes or list of exceptions taken at the time of delivery to Consignees and signed for and on behalf of H.A.L.

All Claims must be filed on or before the 3rd inst., otherwise they will not be recognized.

HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINE.

Hongkong Office.

Hongkong, 15th September, 1913. [1080]

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

THE Steamship

"COULENZ,"

having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Ltd., Kowloon, and West Point Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignees before Noon To-day requesting it to be landed here.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all goods remaining undelivered after the 25th inst. will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 25th inst., at 9.30 A.M.

All Claims must reach us before the 1st Oct., or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Underwriter.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, MELBOURNE & CO., General Agents.

Hongkong, 16th September, 1913. [14]

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamer

Chartered S.S. "KISH,"

Arrived Hongkong on 17th September, 1913, FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, MALTA, PORT SAID, SUEZ AND STRAITS.

Consignees of Cargo by the above-named vessel are hereby informed that their goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where such Consignments will be loaded out Mark by Mark and delivery can be obtained as the Goods are landed.

Optional Goods will be landed here unless instructions are given to the contrary within 6 hours.

Goods not cleared within 8 days including date of arrival will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever.

Damaged packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignees, and the Company's surveyors, Messrs. GODDARD & DOUGLAS, at 10 A.M. on WEDNESDAY, the 24th inst.

All claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognized.

No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godown.

E. A. NEWETT, Superintendent.

Hongkong, 18th September, 1913. [1]

ON SALE.

HONGKONG HANSARD REPORTS

of the MEETINGS of the LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL for the Session 1912.

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Hongkong, 25th June, 1913.

LITTLE STORIES OF THE DAY.

A BRIDGE THAT SEPARATES.

During a North Wales holiday (says the *Liverpool Daily Post*) a Wavertree lady confided to her hotel companions that she was a "golf widow." "What did she mean?" they asked her. She explained that her husband was playing golf, and she was alone. That was all.

Later in the day the golfer returned, and he found his wife away, but was not concerned. "The bridge widower," he musedly remarked.

JOKE THAT WAS SEEN.

Though Mr. Winston Churchill could hardly be described as a humorous speaker, he possesses a very keen sense of humour.

He tells the story of a speaker who did his best to be funny, but who was quite unable to provoke a smile amongst his audience. He was very disappointed at this state of affairs, and after an attempt at a facetious remark, he paused and said, "I had hoped you would have laughed at that."

The silence was broken by a small and lonely voice crying plaintively from the back of the hall, "I laughed, guv'nor."

NORAH'S RISK.

Norah and Dennis were two small Irish children who had been imbued with such an idea of heaven by their strictly orthodox grandmother (that it was in their view the least desirable of places). One day Norah was in a towering rage with her brother, at whom she was screaming with full Celtic ardour. Subsequently she pulled herself up and said, "But I must calm myself or I shall make myself ill, and then I might die and go to heaven." Her grandmother, who entered the room at the moment, said coldly and severely, "I don't think there's much chance of that." "Ah, but," said Norah, "there's the risk!"

CHURCH AND STAGE.

In Garrick's time the Church had a decided leaning towards the Stage. The great actor (says the *Daily Chronicle*) suffered a plague of stage-struck clergymen. He read many of their plays, and produced at least one.

The Reverend Edward Young, of Wexham parish, and of "Night Thoughts" fame, wrote the tragedy of "The Two Brothers," which Garrick produced. The reception was a tragedy. It "was only fit to make an ice-house of the theatre."

Young, however, had counted his chickens—he had promised £1,000—the expected proceeds of his author's rights—to the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel. And here he shone.

He dipped deeply into his private purse and made up the thousand.

THE LION AND THE LAMB.

The tidings that a lamb will appear on the stage in the production of "Joseph and his Brethren" has been noised far and wide. Several correspondents have written to ask why a lion should not also appear, the pair lying side by side. But that has already been done, by Lord George Sanger, and thereby hangs a tale (says the *Daily Citizen*).

When the sale of the old showman's menagerie took place the two animals were put up together and bought by Mr. Fred. Ginnett, of Dick Turpin fame. By this time the lamb had got pretty long in the tooth, to say the least of it. A few days afterwards an acquaintance asked Mr. Ginnett how the happy pair were getting on.

"I wish I had never seen them," said the showman gloomily. "Why? Is he savage?" "Savage is not the word for it. He won't let anyone near him." "Indeed! I thought he looked such a mild old lion—'Lion? Lion? He butts like a battering ram."

STILL MORE GRACEFUL ACTS.

Perhaps the classic graceful act—says the *Manchester Guardian*, still gathering examples—is that told of Lord Rosebery at a tenants' dinner.

An old tenant seated on his right hand was somewhat surprised by the innovations of that year's dinner introduced by a new chef. When, towards the end of the new-fangled repast, ice-putting was handed to the old gentleman, his surprise grew vocal. "Puddin' froze," he exclaimed in tones of horror, turning to his host.

Lord Rosebery tasted his. "So it is," he replied with equal dismay. "Well [confidentially], let's make the best of it."

Of the same genus of story is that of the "ranker" who, on the first night at the officers' mess after his promotion, on being handed ice at the beginning of dinner promptly put it in his soup. His colonel immediately did likewise.

A well-known painter walking down St. James's-street met Sir Herbert Tree coming out of a club. Sir Herbert had his hat in his hand, and after salutations the artist, for conversation, said: "What a nice red lining you've got in your hat." Sir Herbert Tree then said with his courtliest eighteenth-century air: "You admire that lining? Sir (y-rip)—it is yours." He then walked away, leaving the painter on the pavement of St. James's-street with the red lining of Sir Herbert Tree's hat in his hand.

One day in a bus, says the *Pall Mall Gazette*, Mr. C. K. Chesterton, the well-known writer, gave up his seat to three ladies [You perceive the humour of the story if you know Mr. Chesterton's propensities.]

LATEST STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The H.A.L. str. *Gracia* left Tsingtau on the 17th September, p.m., and may be expected here on or about the 22nd September, a.m.

The str. *Rubi* left Manila on the 17th September, and is due here on the 20th September, at daylight.

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Hongkong, 21st Mar. 1913. [694]

OPERATION HOAX.

SURGEON'S JOKE ON A LIMER

"What becomes of the boisterous medical students and where do our grave doctors come from?" asks one of Robert Louis Stevenson's characters in "The Wrecker." It has been left for a party of eminent American physicians and surgeons to show that beneath the surface the practitioner is a student still and able to carry out a "rag" that will fill the breast of the student with envy.

Fifty American physicians, including the officers of some of the greatest hospitals in the United States, left New York last month in the *Bremen* for a tour in Europe to conclude at the International Congress in London. On the evening of the third day a masquerade ball was in progress when Dr. Richard Kovacs, clinical assistant of the New York Polytechnic Hospital, rushed forward.

"Stop the music," he cried. "Dr. Fitzgibbon has been taken seriously ill. An operation may be necessary."

Instantly the music stopped. The dancers went slowly and with hushed steps to the dining-room, where Dr. Fitzgibbon lay, white faced and groaning heavily. A consultation was rapidly held, and it was "no hope for the patient, but an operation would be tried."

Fifteen medical men stood round the patient. Dr. Seaman, of Philadelphia, and Dr. Albee, professor of orthopaedic surgery in the University of Vermont, dressed in operating clothes, with gloves, hands and muffled faces, dipped their instruments in the antiseptic. The crowd of passengers in the gallery of the dining-room looked on, too fascinated to withdraw and too moved to speak.

With the quick hand of the practised operator Dr. Seaman made an incision. Men held their breath and women gasped. The surgeon's hand came out. The awed spectators gradually became aware that he held an enormous ham. Apples, grapes, a loaf of bread, a pineapple next appeared. But it was only when the patient sat up and in deep tones demanded a glass of beer that the semi-hysterical onlookers realised that they had been hoaxed. The grave and reverend leaders of American medicine had enacted a mighty "bluff."

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The Chinese str. *Fushan* reports: Moderate north-easterly winds and sea.

The British str. *Haiman* reports: Moderate N.W. wind and sea, E.S.E. swell, overcast, clear, fine.

The British str. *Kish* reports: Weather during passage from Singapore was exceedingly fine and smooth sea.

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WEATHER REPORT.

On the 17th at 16.20.—Black drum hoisted.

On the 18th at 5.45 a.m.—Signals lowered.

At 11.15 a.m.—The northern depression has passed into the Pacific. A belt of high pressure stretches from S. Manchuria to the Bonins.

The typhoon is filling up. It entered the coast near Swatow this morning.

Hongkong rainfall for 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.44 inches.

The forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon to-day is as follows:

Distance: Hongkong & Neighbourhood

Forecast: (S.E. winds, strong to moderate.)

Formosa Channel: (S.E. winds, strong to moderate.)

South coast of China between Hongkong and Lantau: (The same as Hongkong and Heian.)

South coast of China between Hongkong and Heian: (The same as Hongkong and Heian.)

W. winds, moderate; cloudy, some rain.

CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

18th September, 1913, A.M.

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	"PEKING" ...	6,500 ...	On 28th Sept.
KOBE AND MOJI ...	"JAPAN" ...	9,000 ...	About 2nd Oct.

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ARTHUR NILSSON & Co.,

YORK BUILDINGS, TOP FLOOR.

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INDIAN AFRICAN LINE.

Cargo carried on through Bills of Lading from HONGKONG to BEIRA, DELAGOA BAY, DURBAN (Natal), EAST LONDON, PORT ELIZABETH and CAPE TOWN with transshipment at COLOMBO to Steamers of the INDIAN AFRICAN LINE.

FROM HONGKONG:	PROPOSED SAILINGS.	FROM COLOMBO:
27th Sept.	Connecting with "KATANGA"	15th Oct.

ORIENTAL AFRICAN LINE.

Regular Direct Service from JAPAN, CHINA and STRAITS to BEIRA, DELAGOA BAY, DURBAN, EAST LONDON, PORT ELIZABETH and CAPE TOWN, calling at MAURITIUS if sufficient inducement offers, and affording the Quickest Freight Transport from the ORIENT to SOUTH AFRICA.

Proposed SAILINGS.
For Rates and Further Information, apply to
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REGULAR SERVICE BETWEEN CALCUTTA, STRAITS, SHANGHAI AND JAPAN PORTS.

EASTWARD.

S.S. "JELUNGA," 5,206 tons, Captain J. R. O. Sullivan, will be despatched for YOKOHAMA, KOBE and MOJI on 21st September.
S.S. "JAPAN," 6,015 tons, Captain C. P. Sedden, will be despatched to SHANGHAI, KOBE and MOJI on 25th September.

WESTWARD.

S.S. "DILWARA," 5,328 tons, Captain G. N. Ramana, R.N.R., will be despatched as above on 23rd September.

The above Steamers have excellent Saloon accommodation for Passengers and are all fitted with modern conveniences and carry a duly qualified surgeon.

For Freight or passage, apply to
DAVID SASSOON & CO., LTD.,
HONGKONG, 15th September, 1913.

HONGKONG, CANTON, MACAO & WEST RIVER STEAMERS.

JOINT SERVICE OF THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD., AND CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

HONGKONG-CANTON LINE.

HONGKONG TO CANTON. CANTON TO HONGKONG.

FRIDAY, 19 SEPT., 1913.

8 a.m. HEUNGSHAN. 5 a.m. HONAM.

10 p.m. KINSHAN. 5 p.m. FATSHAN.

SATURDAY, 20 SEPT., 1913.

8 a.m. HONAM. 8 a.m. HEUNGSHAN.

10 p.m. FATSHAN. 5 p.m. KINSHAN.

A Telephone Service has been recently installed on the Canton Company's Steamers. Day Steamers Call No. 776, Night Steamers Call No. 775.

HONGKONG-MACAO LINE.

S.S. SUI TAI, Tons 1,651. S.S. SUI AN, Tons 1,651.

HONGKONG TO MACAO.

Week days at 8 a.m. and 2 p.m. from the Company's Wing Lok Street Wharf. Sundays at 9 a.m. and 12.30 p.m. from the Company's Wing Lok Street Wharf.

MACAO TO HONGKONG.

Week days at 7.30 a.m. and 2 p.m. Sundays at 7.30 a.m. and 2 p.m.

EXCURSION TO MACAO.

SUNDAY, 21 SEPTEMBER, 1913.

The Company's Steamship "HEUNGSHAN"
Will depart from the COMPANY'S CANTON STEAMERS' WHARF at 9 a.m. and return from Macao at 4 p.m.
N.B.—There will be no Sailings on Sunday from Macao at 7.30 a.m. and from Hongkong at 12.30 p.m.

FARES AS USUAL.

Further particulars may be obtained at the Office of the Company.

CANTON-MACAO LINE.

S.S. HOI-SANG, 457 tons.

Departures from Macao to Canton on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 9 p.m. Departures from Canton to Macao on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 4.30 p.m.

JOINT SERVICE OF THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD., THE CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LTD., AND THE INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

CANTON-WUCHOW LINE.

S.S. SAI-NAM, 588 tons, and S.S. NANNING, 569 tons.

One of the above Steamers leaves Canton for Wuchow every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at about 8 a.m., and the other leaves Wuchow for Canton on the same days at 8.30 a.m. Round trips take about 5 days. Passengers can return to Hongkong or vice versa by the Company's direct Steamers JANTAY and SANZI. These vessels have superior Cabin accommodation and are lighted throughout by electricity. Electric Fan in each Cabin. Booking Office open daily (Sundays excepted) 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Further particulars may be obtained at the Office of the—
HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD.,
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New Triple Screw Turbine Flyers—21 Knots Speed.	
S.S. TENYO MARU	22,000 tons.
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(Under Mail Contract with the Austrian Government.)
MONTHLY FAST SERVICE TO TRIESTE (VENICE).
VIA SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ AND PORT SAID.
S.S. "KOEBER" 9,900 tons, will leave as above on 15th October, at 4 p.m.
Superior accommodation for 1st and 2nd Class passengers, no surtax, no tips, no inside Cabins. Doctor, Stewardesses, Laundry, Wireless Telegraphy.
FARES: Hongkong-Trieste (Venice), £50 1st, £36 2nd, £19 3rd Class.
MONTHLY ORDINARY SERVICE TO TRIESTE (VENICE) VIA STRAITS (CALCUTTA), COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ AND PORT SAID.
S.S. "AUSTRIA" 14,000 tons, will leave as above about 1st October.
These Steamers of large tonnage are fitted with comfortable one class accommodation for Saloon Passengers. No Surtax. Doctor, Stewardesses, Wireless Telegraphy.
RAILWAY FARES: Trieste-London.
BY SIMPLON EXPRESS:
Via Venice, Milan, Simplon, Lugano, Paris, Calais or Boulogne, Class I £3.15, II £2.1.6.
BY ST. GOETHARD EXPRESS:
Via Venice, Milan, St. Gothard, Lucerne, Bale, Laon, Calais or Boulogne, Class I £4.15, II £3.1.9.
BY SEMMERING EXPRESS:
Via Vienna, Cologne, Brussels, Ostend, Dover, Class I £4.11, II £3.9.9.
BY TAVERN EXPRESS:
Via Munich, Cologne, Hook or Flushing, Class I £7.19.8, II £5.1.9.

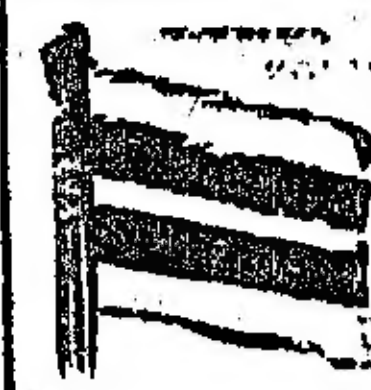
TO SHANGHAI.

S.S. "KOEBER" 9,900 tons, will leave as above on 1st October, at 4 a.m.
FARES: Hongkong-Shanghai, £6 1st, £2 2nd, £2 3rd Class.
TO KOBE VIA SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA.
S.S. "PERSIA" 12,500 tons, will leave as above about 27th September.
Cargo taken at through rates to all ports in Adriatic, Levant, Black Sea & Danube, also North & South America.

SANDER, WIELER & Co., Agents,
Hongkong, 19th September, 1913. Prince's Building.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA

(THE JAPAN MAIL STEAMSHIP CO.)



PROJECTED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG—

SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

DESTINATIONS	STEAMERS AND DISPLACEMENT	TONS	SAILING DATE
MARSEILLES, LONDON and ANTWERP, via SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO.	IYO MARU Capt. Hirase.	12,500	{WED'DAY, 24th Sept., at Daylight.
SUEZ and PORT SAID	HIRANO MARU Capt. H. Fraser.	16,000	{WED'DAY, 8th Oct., at D'light.
VICTORIA, B.C., SEATTLE, VIA KEELUNG, SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE, YOKKAICHI, SHIMIDZU and YOKOHAMA	SADO MARU Capt. Asakawa.	12,500	{TUESDAY, 23rd Sept., at 4 P.M.
SYDNEY and MELBOURNE, via MANILA, THURSDAY ISLAND, TOWNSVILLE and BRISBANE	YOKOHAMA MARU Capt. S. Wada.	12,500	{TUESDAY, 7th Oct., at Noon.
CALCUTTA via SINGAPORE, PENANG & RANGOON	KUMANO MARU Capt. M. Winkler.	9,300	{WED'DAY, 24th Sept., at Noon.
BOMBAY via SINGAPORE, and COLOMBO	INABA MARU Capt. Tominaga.	12,500	{WED'DAY, 22nd Oct., at Noon.
KOBE and YOKOHAMA	CEYLON MARU Capt. Noguchi.	12,000	{MONDAY, 22nd September.
SHANGHAI, KOBE and YOKOHAMA	RANGOON MARU Capt. Kanokita.	12,000	{MONDAY, 29th September.
NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA	KAMO MARU Capt. K. Kawara.	16,000	{THURSDAY 25th Sept., at 11 A.M.
SHANGHAI, MOJI and KOBE	KANAGAWA MARU Capt. Machida.	12,500	{MONDAY, 29th September.
	INABA MARU Capt. Tominaga.	12,500	{TUESDAY, 23rd Sept., at 5 P.M.
	PENANG MARU Capt. Murazumi.	12,000	{SATURDAY, 27th September.

Equipped with New System of Wireless Telegraphy. Cargo only.

REDUCED SUMMER RATES BETWEEN HONGKONG AND JAPAN PORTS.

SPECIAL EXCURSION TICKETS (1st and 2nd Class), available for 3 Months. Commencing from 1st June, ending 30th September, 1913.

	YOKOHAMA Return.	KOBE Return.	MOJI Return.	NAGASAKI Return.
1st Class ...	\$135	\$122	\$108	\$95
2nd " ...	\$81	\$75	\$65	\$57

With option of Rail between Steamer's Calling Ports in Japan.

For Further Information as to Freight, Sailing, &c., apply to—
T. KUSUMOTO, MANAGER.

TELEPHONE Nos. 292 and 1241

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PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION CO.

HOMEWARD PASSENGER SEASON. 1914.

PROPOSED SAILINGS OF MAIL STEAMERS

MARSEILLES AND LONDON

TAKING PASSENGERS ALSO FOR COLOMBO, INDIA, AUSTRALASIA, EGYPT, BRINDISI, &c. THROUGH TICKETS ISSUED TO BOSTON AND NEW YORK.

Connecting Steamer	Steamers to	Leave	Leave	Connecting Steamer	Due at	D
"ORIENTAL" leaves YOKOHAMA	to COLOMBO.	SHANGHAI	HONGKONG	from COLOMBO to MARSEILLES and LONDON	MARSEILLES	PLYMOUTH (London 1 day later)
p.m.		10 p.m.	1 p.m.			
Thurs. 8	EGYPT	Jan. 13	Jan. 17	MOOLTAN	Feb. 14	Feb. 20
Jan. 22	DEVANHA	Jan. 27	Jan. 31	MOREA	Feb. 28	Mar. 6
Feb. 5	CHINA	Feb. 10	Feb. 14	MAJOJA	Mar. 14	Mar. 20
Feb. 19	ASSAYE	Feb. 24	Feb. 28	MAJORA	Mar. 28	Apr. 3
Mar. 5	INDIA	Mar. 10	Mar. 14	MOLDAVIA	Apr. 11	Apr. 17
Mar. 19	DEVANHA	Mar. 24	Mar. 28	MEDINA	Apr. 25	May 1
Apr. 2	ARCADIA	Apr. 7	Apr. 11	MONGOLIA	May 9	May 15
Apr. 16	DELTA	Apr. 21	Apr. 25	MALWA	May 23	May 29
Apr. 30	ASSAYE	May 5	May 9	MOOLTAN	June 6	June 12

Passengers change Steamers at COLOMBO, and those for BRINDISI transfer also to the Express Mail Steamer at PORT SAID. Accommodation in the connecting Steamer from COLOMBO is definitely reserved in Hongkong at the time of Booking.

FARES:

The Fares to London and Marseilles are as follows:—			
LONDON			
1st Saloon	"A"	Accommodation Single	£55. Return £97.
	"B"	"	" £59. " £89.
2nd Saloon	"A"	"	" £44. " £66.
	"B"	"	" £40. " £60.
MARSEILLES			
1st Saloon	"A"	Accommodation Single	£61. Return £91.
	"B"	"	" £55. " £83.
2nd Saloon	"A"	"	" £42. " £63.
	"B"	"	" £38. " £57.

IN ADDITION TO THE ABOVE MAIL STEAMERS INTERMEDIATE (NON-TRANSHIPMENT) STEAMERS WILL LEAVE FOR LONDON

CARRYING 1ST AND 2ND SALOON PASSENGERS AT REDUCED RATES.

STEAMERS.	Leave Y'HAMA	Leave SHANGHAI	Leave H'KONG	Leave STONE	Due at M'HEILLES	Due at LONDON
BORNEO	Jan. 6	Jan. 17	Jan. 21	Jan. 27	Feb. 23	Mar. 4
NANKIN	Jan. 20	Jan. 31	Feb. 4	Feb. 10	Mar. 9	Mar. 18
NYANZA	Feb. 3	Feb. 14	Feb. 18	Feb. 24	Mar. 23	Apr. 1
NOBE	Feb. 17	Feb. 28	Mar. 4	Mar. 10	Apr. 6	Apr. 15
NILE	Mar. 3	Mar. 14	Mar. 18	Mar. 24	Apr. 21	Apr. 30
MALTA	Mar. 17	Mar. 28	Apr. 1	Apr. 7	May 5	May 14
SUMATRA	Mar. 31	Apr. 11	Apr. 15	Apr. 21	May 19	May 28
NUBIA	Apr. 14	Apr. 25	Apr. 29	May 5	June 3	June 12
NAMUE	Apr. 28	May 9	May 13	May 20	June 18	June 27

These Steamers call also at PORT SWETENHAM, PENANG and COLOMBO.

FARES TO LONDON:

1st Saloon £50 Single: £75 Return.

2nd Saloon £35 Single: £52 Return.

FARES TO MARSEILLES:

1st Saloon £46 Single: £69 Return.

2nd Saloon £33 Single: £50 Return.

All Passenger Steamers are fitted with the Marconi System of Wireless Telegraphy. THE ABOVE RATES ARE SUBJECT TO A SURTAX OF 10%.

For Further Particulars, apply to—

E. A. HEWETT,
SUPERINTENDENT.

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

FOR	STEAMERS	TO SAIL	REMARKS
SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE, SYRIA, AND YOKOHAMA	Capt. C. R. Longden, R.N.R.	About 23rd Sept.	Freight and Passage.
SHANGHAI	CHINA Capt. C. H. S. Toque, R.N.R.	About 25th Sept.	Freight and Passage.
LONDON VIA USUAL PORTS OF CALL	ASSAYE Capt. G. J. Coldwell	Noon, 27th Sept.	See Special Advertisement.
LONDON and ANTWERP VIA SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, PORT SAID, & MARSEILLES	NORSE Capt. D. Asbury	About 1st Oct.	Freight and Passage.

All the above Steamers are fitted with Wireless Telegraphy.

For Further Particulars apply to

E. A. HEWETT,

Superintendent.

Hongkong, 19th September, 1913.

CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LD.

SAILINGS SUBJECT TO ALTERATION

FOR	STEAMERS	TO SAIL
SHANGHAI	"KALGAN"	On 20th Sept. M'night
MANILA, CEBU and SOLO	"CHINHUA"	On 23rd Sept. 4 P.M.
SHANGHAI and TIENTSIN	"HUICHOW"	On 25th Sept. Noon.
SHANGHAI	"LUCHOW"	On 25th Sept. 4 P.M.
SHANGHAI	"YINGCHOW"	On 27th Sept. M'night.

DIRECT SAILINGS TO WEST RIVER, Twice Weekly.

S.S. "LINTAN" and S.S. "SANUL"

MANILA LINE—TWIN SCREW STEAMERS "CHINHUA," "TAMING" and "TEAN." Excellent Saloon accommodation; Electric Fans fitted; Extra State-rooms on Deck, aft, on "TAMING" and "TEAN."

SHANGHAI LINE—THE TWIN SCREW STEAMERS "ANHUI," "CHENAN," "LINAN" and the S.S. "LUCHOW," having excellent accommodation with Electric Light throughout and Electric Fans in the State-rooms and Dining Saloon, maintain a fast schedule service between Canton, Hongkong and Shanghai, leaving Hongkong for Shanghai direct every Thursday and Sunday, taking Cargo on through bills of lading to all Yangtze and Northern China Ports.

N.Y.—Passengers must embark before Midnight on SATURDAY, for the SUNDAY Morning sailings. A Co.'s launch leaves Murray Pier at 10 o'clock every SATURDAY Night.

These Steamers Land Passengers in Shanghai, avoiding the inconvenience of the transhipment at Woosung.

REDUCED FARES:—SINGLE \$45.....RETURN \$75.

For Freight or Passage apply to—

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, 18th September, 1913.

TELEPHONE 36.

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THE EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP CO., LTD.

MAIL SERVICE TO AUSTRALIA
VIA MANILA.

MAIL SCHEDULE
(SUBJECT TO MODIFICATION).

STEAMER	ARRIVE HONGKONG FROM AUSTRALIA	LEAVE HONGKONG FOR AUSTRALIA
ST. ALBANS	20th September	On 19th Sept., 11 A.M.
EASTERN	11th October	On 10th Oct., 11 A.M.
ALDENHAM	1st November	On 31st Oct., 11 A.M.
EMPIRE		On 21st Nov., 11 A.M.

The above Steamers are fitted with Refrigerating Machinery, ensuring a plentiful supply of Ice, Fresh Provisions, etc., and are lighted throughout with Electricity. A State-Rooms have Electric Fans. A duly qualified Doctor and Stewards are carried. For further particulars apply to

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Regular Sailings from JAPAN, CHINA and PHILIPPINES,

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NEXT SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG:

OUTWARD.

HOMeward.

For SHANGHAI, KOBE and YOKOHAMA:

S.S. SUEDEMARK	23rd Sept.
S.S. ALBENGA	26th Sept.
S.S. C. FRED. LAEISZ	30th Sept.
S.S. ARABIA	10th Oct.
S.S. SAMBIA	18th Oct.
S.S. SEGOVIA	21st Oct.
S.S. ANDALUSIA	25th Oct.
S.S. ISTRIA	5th Nov.
S.S. ALTMARK	13th Nov.
S.S. SITHONIA	20th Nov.

For HAVRE, ANTWERP & HAMBURG:

S.S. GRAECIA	22nd Sept.
For VANCOUVER, SEATTLE and/or Tacoma and PORTLAND (Or.)	
S.S. C. FRED. LAEISZ	30th Sept.
For HAVRE & HAMBURG:	
S.S. SENEGAMBIA	30th Sept.
For MARSEILLES, HAVRE & HAMBURG:	
S.S. SPEZIA	30th Sept.
For MARSEILLES, HAVRE & HAMBURG:	
S.S. HOEDE	12th Oct.
For ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG & ANTWERP:	
S.S. SACHSEN	12th Oct.

For Further Particulars, apply to—

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Hongkong Office.

Hongkong, 19th September, 1913

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP CO., LD.

HONGKONG-SOUTH CHINA COAST PORTS

HIGHEST Class, Fastest and Most Luxurious Steamers on the Coast, having Splendid Accommodation for First Class Passengers. Electric Light. Excellent Cuisine.

FOR

SWATOW, AMOY AND FOOCHOW
AND RETURN.

(Occupying 9 to 10 Days)

STEAMSHIP	CAPTAIN	LEAVING
"HAIYANG"	Capt. A. E. Hodgins	FRIDAY, 19th Sept., at 11 A.M.
"HAICHING"	Capt. W. C. Pasmore	TUESDAY, 23rd Sept., at 11 A.M.
"HATTAN"	Capt. J. S. Roach	FRIDAY, 25th Sept., at 11 A.M.

FOR SWATOW AND RETURN.

(Occupying 3 Days)

"HAIMUN"	Capt. J. W. Evans	(SUNDAY, 21st Sept., at 10 A.M.)
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Steamers will arrive at and Depart from the Company's Wharf (near Ulak Pier).

For Freight and Passage, apply to—

DOUGLAS, LAPRAIK & Co.,

GENERAL MANAGERS.

Hongkong, 18th September, 1913.

TOYO KISEN KAISHA.



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TRANS-PACIFIC MAIL LINES.

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Operating the THREE TRIPLE SCREW TURBINE Steamers

CHIYO MARU, SHINYO MARU AND
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Speed 21 KNOTS, Displacement 22,000 TONS.

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INTERMEDIATE STEAMERS.

Speed 18 KNOTS, Displacement 11,000 TONS.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION).

STEAMER	CAPTAIN	DATE OF SAILING
HONGKONG MARU	S. Togo	FRIDAY, 19th Sept., Noon.
SHINYO MARU	H. S. Smith	THURSDAY, 25th Sept., at Noon.
CHIYO MARU	W. W. Greene	FRIDAY, 17th Oct., at Noon.
NIPPON MARU	A. G. Stevens	WED'DAY, 5th Nov., at Noon.
TENYO MARU	E. Bent	TUESDAY, 11th Nov., at Noon.

THE S.S. "HONGKONG MARU" will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO VIA MANILA, NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA AND HONOLULU on FRIDAY, the 19th September, at Noon.

SOUTH AMERICA LINE.

(In Connection with the NATIONAL RAILWAYS of MEXICO at MANZANILLO and the TEHUANTEPEC NATIONAL RAILWAY at SALINA CRUZ.)

The Only Regular Direct Service to MEXICAN, CHILIAN and PERUVIAN PORTS.

The Steamers—

ANYO MARU, BUYO MARU AND KIYO MARU

Ply between HONGKONG and CORONEL VIA MOJI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA, HONOLULU, HILO, (HAWAII), MANZANILLO, SALINA CRUZ, CALLAO, ARICA, IQUIQUE and VALPARAISO.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION).

STEAMER	TONS	DATE OF SAILING
BUYO MARU	10,500	SATURDAY, 4th Oct., at Noon.
ANYO MARU	18,500	WED'DAY, 3rd Dec., at Noon.
KIYO MARU	17,200	THURSDAY, 5th Feb., at Noon.

ALL STEAMERS are equipped with JAPANESE GOVERNMENT WIRELESS TELEGRAPH and TELEPHONE, APPARATUS and POST OFFICES.

SPECIAL RATES.—To OFFICERS of the ARMY and NAVY, members of the CIVIL and CONSULAR SERVICES, and to MISSIONARIES.

Through bookings to all important points and AROUND THE WORLD.

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REGULAR SERVICES.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

(SUBJECT TO ALTERATION).

TRANS-PACIFIC LINE.

IN CONNECTION AT TACOMA AND SEATTLE WITH

THE CHICAGO MILWAUKEE AND ST. PAUL RAILWAY Co.

SOUTH AMERICA LINE.

FOR VICTORIA, B.C. AND TACOMA VIA JAPAN PORTS.

Steamer	Captain	Leaving
"SEATTLE MARU"	T. Saito	THURSDAY, 4th Oct., at 1 P.M.
"MEXICO MARU"	N. Kobayashi	WED'DAY, 15th Oct., at 1 P.M.
"CHICAGO MARU"	Goto	THURSDAY, 30th Oct., at 1 P.M.
"CANADA MARU"	K. Hori	
"TACOMA MARU"	T. Hamada	
"PANAMA MARU"	J. Kanoe	

Calling at KEELUNG, SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKKAICHI, SHIMIZU and YOKOHAMA.
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JAPAN-BOMBAY LINE.

FOR BOMBAY VIA SINGAPORE, PORT SWETTENHAM, PENANG and COLOMBO.

Steamer	Captain	Leaving
"SAIGON MARU"	T. Yamaguchi	MONDAY, 22nd Sept., 4 P.M.
"INDO MARU"	K. Komiya	THURSDAY, 23rd Oct., 4 P.M.
"LUZON MARU"	A. Yamamoto	

FOR MOJI, KOBE and YOKKAICHI.

Steamer	Captain	Leaving
"INDO MARU"	K. Komiya	SATURDAY, 20th Sept., P.M.
"LUZON MARU"	H. Yamamoto	THURSDAY, 30th Oct., P.M.
"SAIGON MARU"	T. Yamaguchi	

CHINA AND FORMOSA LINE.

FOR FOOCHOW VIA SWATOW AND AMOY.

Steamer	Captain	Leaving
"KAIJO MARU"	Y. Yamamoto	WED'DAY, 24th Sept., at 2 P.M.

FOR TAMSUI VIA SWATOW AND AMOY.

Steamer	Captain	Leaving
"DALIN MARU"		

FOR ANPING AND TAKAO VIA SWATOW AND AMOY.

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TJILATJAP.	JAPAN	Second half of September.	JAVA	Second half of September.
TJILAWONG	SHANGHAI	First half of October.	JAVA	First half of October.
TJIMANOEK	JAVA	First half of October.	JAPAN	First half of October.
TJIMAH	JAPAN	First half of October.	JAVA	First half of October.
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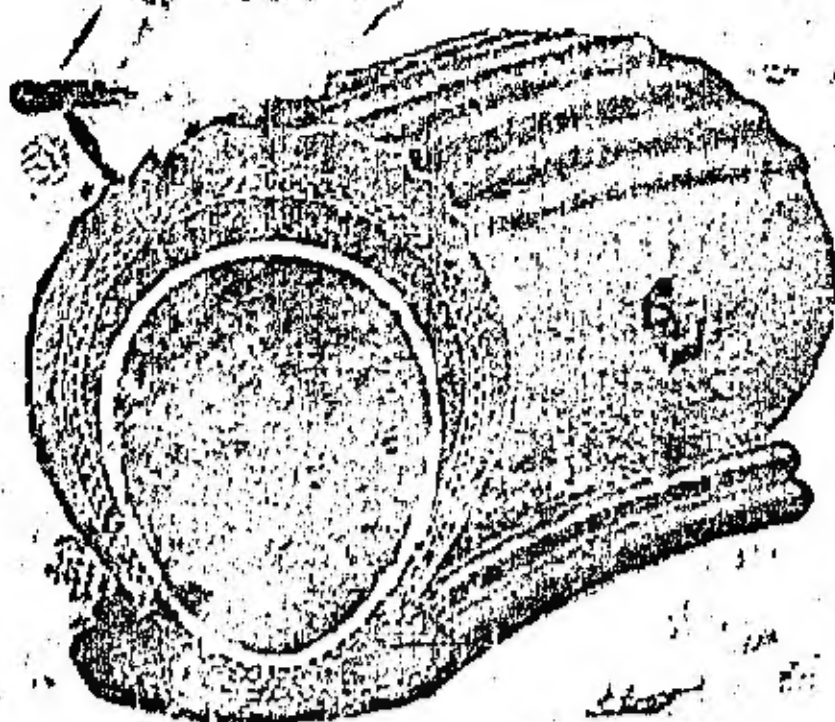
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The United States Mail ex S. S. Siberia have been transferred to the Magellan, due here on Monday, the 22nd inst.

FOR	PER	DATE
Swatow, Amoy & Tamsui via Amoy & Takao	Shoshu Maru	Friday, 19th, 9.00 A.M.
Swatow, Amoy and Focchow	Haiyang	Friday, 19th, 10.00 A.M.
Philippine Islands	Anbura	Friday, 19th, 10.00 A.M.
Fort Bayard	Kwong Chow Wan	Friday, 19th, 10.00 A.M.
Saigon	Landrat Schief	Friday, 19th, 10.00 A.M.
Swatow	Pisauwloh	Friday, 19th, 10.00 A.M.
Shanghai and North China	Kwongzang	Friday, 19th, 10.00 A.M.
PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, JAPAN via NAGASAKI, HONOLULU, UNITED STATES, SOUTH AMERICA, and CANADA via SAN FRANCISCO	Hongkong Maru	Friday, 19th, 10.00 A.M.
Macao	Sui Tai	Friday, 19th, 1.15 P.M.
Philippine Islands, Australia, Tasmania and New Zealand via Port Darwin	St. Albans	Friday, 19th, 3.00 P.M.
Dairen	Gasan Maru	Friday, 19th, 4.00 P.M.
FORMOSA via KEELUNG, SHANGHAI, NORTH CHINA and JAPAN via NAGASAKI, HONOLULU, UNITED STATES, SOUTH AMERICA and CANADA via SAN FRANCISCO	Korea	Saturday, 20th, 1.00 P.M.
Philippine Islands	Yuenyang	Saturday, 20th, 1.15 P.M.
Macao	Sui Tai	Saturday, 20th, 5.00 P.M.
Swatow, Shanghai and North China	Wingang	Saturday, 20th, 5.00 P.M.
Japan via Yokohama	Jelung	Saturday, 20th, 5.00 P.M.
Shanghai and North China	Kalgan	Sunday, 21st, 9.00 A.M.
(EUROPE via SIBERIA)	Haiman	Monday, 22nd, 5.00 P.M.
Swatow, Batavia, Samarang and Sourabaya	Rojan Maru	Tuesday, 23rd, 10.00 A.M.
Swatow, Amoy and Focchow	Hatching	Tuesday, 23rd, 11.00 A.M.
Shanghai and North China	Choyang	Tuesday, 23rd, 11.00 A.M.
SANON, STRAITS, CEYLON, ADELAIDE, WESTERN AUSTRALIA, INDIA, ADE, EGYPT and EUROPE via MANRILLAS (Late Letters 11 to NOON Extra postage 10 cents) (Letters posted in all the Pillar Boxes in time for the first clearance will be included in this contract mail)	Magellan	Tuesday, 23rd, 3.00 P.M.
Formosa via Keelung, Shanghai, North China Japan via Moji, Victoria, B.C., and Seattle, Wash.	Sudo Maru	Tuesday, 23rd, 3.00 P.M.
Philippine Islands	Chinkua	Tuesday, 23rd, 4.00 P.M.
Japan via Nagasaki	Inaba Maru	Tuesday, 23rd, 5.00 P.M.
Straits and Colombo	Tyo Maru	Tuesday, 23rd, 5.00 P.M.
Philippine Islands, Australia, Tasmania and New Zealand via Thursday Island	Rumoro Maru	Wednesday, 24th, 10.00 A.M.
SHANGHAI, NORTH CHINA, JAPAN via NAGASAKI, HONOLULU, UNITED STATES, SOUTH AMERICA, and CANADA via YANAGAWA (EUROPE via SIBERIA)	Empress of India	Wednesday, 24th, 10.00 A.M.
Philippine Islands, Australia, Tasmania and New Zealand via Port Darwin	Taiyuan	Wednesday, 24th, 3.00 P.M.
Philippine Islands	Rubi	Thursday, 25th, 10.00 A.M.
Wetshaiwei and Piontsu	Huichow	Thursday, 25th, 10.00 A.M.
SHANGHAI, NORTH CHINA, JAPAN via NAGASAKI, HONOLULU, UNITED STATES, SOUTH AMERICA, and CANADA via SAN FRANCISCO	Shinyo Maru	Thursday, 25th, 10.00 A.M.

COMMERCIAL

CLOSING QUOTATIONS
September 18th.

ON LONDON:—	Telegraphic Transfer	2 1/2	1/2
	Bank Bills, on demand	2 1/2	1/2
	Bank Bills, at 30 days sight	2 1/2	1/2
	Bank Bills, at 4 months sight	2 1/2	1/2
	Credits, at 4 months sight	2 1/2	1/2
	Documentary Bills, at 4 months sight	2 1/2	1/2
ON PARIS:—	Bank Bills, on demand	53 1/2	
	Credits, at 4 months sight	53 1/2	
ON GERMANY:—	On demand	205	
ON NEW YORK:—	Telegraphic Transfer	49 1/2	
	Bank Bills, on demand	49 1/2	
	Credits, at 60 days sight	49 1/2	
ON BOMBAY:—	Telegraphic Transfer	149 1/2	
	Bank, on demand	149 1/2	
ON CALCUTTA:—	Telegraphic Transfer	149 1/2	
	Bank, on demand	149 1/2	
ON SHANGHAI:—	Bank, at sight	73 1/2	
	Private, 30 days sight	74	
ON YOKOHAMA:—	On demand	97 1/2	
ON MANILA:—	On demand—Pesos	98 1/2	
ON SINGAPORE:—	On demand	85 1/2	
ON BATAVIA:—	On demand	12 1/2	
ON HAIKONG:—	On demand	1 1/2	pm.
ON SAIGON:—	On demand	76 1/2	
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MAILS VIA SIBERIA.

August 30th.	September 15th.
September 3th.	September 20th.

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.

Hongkong, 18th September, 1913.

STOCKS.	NO. OF SHARES.	VALUE	PAID UP.	CLOSING QUOTA TIONS.	RETURN ON BASIS OF LAST DIVID.
BANKS.—					
Hongkong & Shanghai Bank Corporation	120,000	\$125	all	\$790	5 1/2 p.c.
China Bank Corporation, Limited	60,000	\$12	all	\$93, buyers	8 1/2 p.c.
China Light and Power Company, Ltd.	50,000	\$1	all	\$4	
China Provident, Loan & Mortgage Co., Ltd.	200,000	\$10	all	\$9, sellers	7 1/2 p.c.
Corroon Mills.					
Ewo Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ltd.	20,000	Tls. 50	all	Tls. 128	
Hongkong Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd.	125,000	\$10	all	\$94, sellers	5 p.c.
Dairy Farm Company, Limited	40,000	\$7 1/2	all	\$28, buyers	
DOCKS AND WHARVES.—					
H'kong & Kowloon Wharf & G. Co., Ltd.	60,000	\$50	all	\$90, sellers	5 p.c.
H'kong & Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd.	50,000	\$50	all	\$77, sellers	7 1/2 p.c.
New Amoy Dock Co., Limited	10,000	\$50	all	\$2	
Shai Dock and Engineering Co., Ltd.	55,000	Tls. 100	all	Tls. 63	
Shai and Hongkong Wharf Co., Ltd.	36,000	Tls. 100	all	Tls. 107	
Green Island Cement Co., Limited	400,000	\$10	all	\$5.80	4 p.c.
Hongkong Electric Co., Limited	60,000	\$10	all	\$125	5 p.c.
Hongkong Hotel Company, Limited	8,000	\$50	all	\$25, \$30	
Manila Metropolitan Hotel, Limited	15,000	Pa. 10	all	\$84, sellers	5 1/2 p.c.
Hongkong Ice Company, Limited	5,000	\$25	all	\$175, sellers	9 1/2 p.c.
Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	60,000	\$10	all	\$25, sellers	
H'kong & South China Steam Fishers Co., Ltd.	15,000	\$10	all	\$10	
Hongkong Steel Foundry Co., Ltd.	15,000	\$10	all	\$10	
Hongkong Tramway Co., Ltd.	325,000	5/	all	9/2, buyers	
INSURANCES.—					
Canton Insurance Office Co., Limited	10,000	\$250	\$50	\$320, buyers	6 p.c.
China Fire Insurance Co., Limited	20,000	\$100	\$20	\$148, buyers	6 1/2 p.c.
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	8,000	\$250	\$50	\$365, buyers	7 1/2 p.c.
North China Insurance Co., Limited	10,000	\$15	\$5	Tls. 137 1/2	
Union Insurance Society, Limited	12,400	\$250	\$100	\$785	6 1/2 p.c.
Yangtze Insurance Association, Ltd.	12,000	\$100	\$60	\$190, @ Ex 73	
LANDS AND BUILDINGS.—					
H'kong Land Invest. Agency Co., Ltd.	50,000	\$100	all	\$113, sal. & sel.	6 1/2 p.c.
Hongkong Land Reclamation Co., Ltd.	25,000	\$100	\$75	\$10, sales	5 1/2 p.c.
Humphreys' Estate and Finance Co., Ltd.	150,000	\$10	all	\$46	7 p.c.
Kowloon Land and Building Co., Ltd.	5,000	\$50	\$30	Tls. 89	
Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ltd.	75,000	Tls. 50	all	\$72, sellers	5 1/2 p.c.
West Point Building Co., Limited	12,500	\$50	all	Tls. 24 1/2, sal.	
Maatschappij tot Mijne, Bosch- en Landbouw exploitatie in Langkat	25,000	Gds. 10	all	Tls. 24 1/2, sal.	
Mining.—					
Chinese Engineering and M. Co., Ltd.	1,000,000	\$1	all	32 1/2	
Hawwood Tin and Rubber Estate, Ltd.	822,000	2/	all	\$3.10, buyers	
Raub Australian Gold Mining Co., Ltd.	200,000	\$1	all	\$3.10, buyers	
Trench Mines, Limited	160,000	\$1	all	\$5 1/2, buyers	7 1/2 p.c.
Peak Tramways Co., Limited	25,000	\$10	all	\$0.90	
Philippine Co., Limited	50,000	\$10	all	\$5	
Pulpes et Papeteries du Tonkin Societe des	13,200	\$50	all	\$30, sellers	
REFINERIES.—					
China Sugar Refining Co., Limited	20,000	\$100	all	\$94, sellers	3 p.c.
Luzon Sugar Refining Co., Limited	7,000	\$160	all	\$35, sellers	
SUGARSHIP COMPANIES.—					
China and Manila Steamship Co., Ltd.	33,000	\$25	all	\$9, sellers	5 p.c.
Douglas Steamship Co., Limited	20,000	\$50	all	\$22 1/2, buyers	7 1/2 p.c.
H'kong, Canton & Macao S.B. Co., Ltd.	80,000	\$15	all	\$77, Ltd. buyers	
Indo-China Steam Navigation Co., Ltd.	60,000 pref.	\$5	all	107 1/2, buyers	6 p.c.
Shell Transport & Trading Co., Ltd.	2,500,000	\$1	all	\$57, buyers	3 1/2 p.c.
Star Ferry Company, Limited	30,000	\$10	all	\$22	
South China Morning Post, Limited	6,000	\$25	all	\$4, sales	
Steam Laundry Company, Limited	20,000	\$5	all	\$5	
STORES AND DISPENSARIES.—					
Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited	1,300	\$10	all	\$25	4 p.c.
Powell, Wm., Limited	15,000	\$7	all	\$10 1/2	
Watson & Co., A. S., Limited	90,000	\$10	all	\$8	
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11 a.m.—Hongkong Club Half-Yearly Drawing of 55 Debentures at the Club House.

TO-MORROW
3.30 p.m.—Hongkong Lawn Bowls League at Police Club Green, Happy Valley.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS.

Wednesday, 24th Sept.—
Noon—Douglas Steamship Co., Ltd. Meeting of Shareholders.

Thursday, 25th Sept.—
5 p.m.—Club Germania Drawing of 60 Debentures at the Club.

5 p.m.—U.S.R.C. Extraordinary General Meeting at the Club Ground.

Thursday, 2nd Oct.—
Noon—Hongkong Cotton Spinning, Weaving & Dyeing Co., Ltd. Meeting of Shareholders.

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